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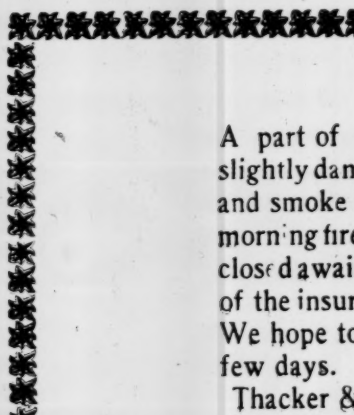


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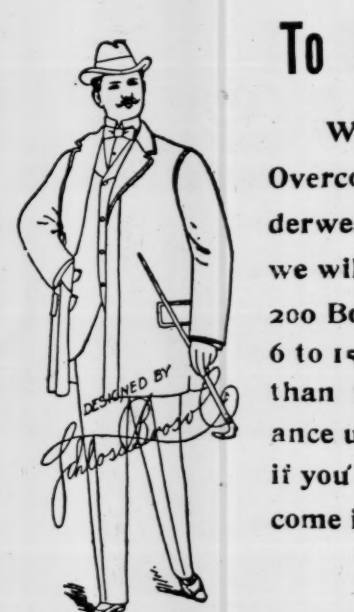
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THE END OF THE FIGHT NEAR.

Reported Change in the Taylorites Since Saturday.

WILL CALL OFF LONDON MEETING

Of the Legislature—Present Situation in Frankfort—Preparations for Goebel's Funeral.

By Wire to the Telegram.
Frankfort, Feb. 5.—It is reported there has been an entire change in the Taylorites during the past twenty-four hours and that the prospect for an end of the war between the democrats and republicans is now bright.

It is reported that Taylor has decided to call off the meeting of the legislature in London, to which place he adjourned that body last Tuesday. John Marshall, the republican lieutenant governor, arrived last night, accompanied by D. W. Farleigh, a republican lawyer. After a conference with Taylor they went to the Capitol Hotel where Farleigh held a long conference with Senator Blackburn. The result is said to be highly gratifying to the democrats. Later Farleigh and Marshall conferred with Taylor.

GOEBEL'S BODY.
Frankfort, Feb. 5.—The relatives of Governor Goebel have decided that the body will be taken to Covington tomorrow night, and be brought back to Frankfort for burial in the cemetery here.

Between Wednesday morning and Thursday afternoon, when the burial will be made, the body will lie in state here. Taylor says he would throw open the capitol building so that the body of his late antagonist might be placed in the rotunda. Most of the Goebels' staff at this "late courtesy," but there are some who welcome it. It is the desire of Taylor to cease hostilities.

SCHOOLS WILL CLOSE.
Frankfort, Feb. 5.—The board of education has decided that in view of the large crowds which will be present the coming week to attend the funeral ceremonies of Governor Goebel, all the schools will be closed.

REPORT FROM LONDON.
London, Ky., Feb. 5.—Everything is in readiness for holding the session of legislature here in accordance with Taylor's call. There will be a caucus this afternoon of the republican members present, at which plans will be formulated and temporary officers selected.

Senator Jolly, the republican leader, who is supposed to represent Taylor, says no attempt will be made to arrest democratic members and bring them here.

The republicans will meet daily and adjourn from day to day. They believe enough democrats will attend to make a quorum. The republicans will convene tomorrow and adjourn until Thursday out of respect to Goebel.

THE TELEGRAM.
Editorial Notes From Some of Our Contemporaries.

The Greensboro Telegram under the editorship of Mr. R. M. Phillips has been a good newspaper. A new company has been organized, and Mr. R. F. Beasley becomes chief, with Mr. Phillips on the staff.—Wilmington Messenger.

Mr. R. F. Beasley, editor of the Monroe Journal, becomes editor of the Greensboro Telegram, on which Mr. R. M. Phillips has done such excellent work. This addition will improve an already bright and prosperous contemporary.—Charlotte News.

The Greensboro Evening Telegram is to be published under a new management. Representative business men of the Gate City have organized themselves into the Greensboro Publishing Company and will control the Telegram. The editor will be Mr. Rowland P. Beasley, who has conducted the Monroe Journal with success. Mr. R. M. Phillips, the present editor of the Telegram, will be retained on the staff.—Wilmington Dispatch.

Republican Headquarters.
The state chairman of the republican executive committee has established headquarters in this city with rooms in the new office building of the Southern Loan and Trust Company. The headquarters will be in charge of Mr. P. A. Mitchell, of Alamance county. Mr. Holton, the state chairman, says he will probably have his office all over the state, meaning that he will keep an eye on things.

DO YOUR GLASSES FEEL EASY and comfortable to the eyes? They should improve your sight. If they do not rest the eyes and feel comfortable, your eyes will be injured. Drs. Moore can be of great help to you. Their glasses satisfy eyes of others and you will be satisfied. Save your eyes; don't wait until too late.

The One Day Cold Cure.
Cold in head and sore throat cured by Ker-mott's Chocolate Laxative Quinine. As easy to take as candy. "Children cry for them."

Many Thousands Swept Away

The Big Clothing Store of C. M. Vanstory & Co. Burned Yesterday Morning.

GREENSBORO AGAIN VICTIM OF FIRE FIEND

The Third Disastrous Blaze Since Christmas—Sample Brown Mercantile Company's Stock of Goods Badly Damaged—Mr. Vernon's Loss on the Building—Losses Only Partially Covered by Insurance.

Greensboro is again a victim of the destructive fire fiend.

About five o'clock yesterday (Sunday) morning a blaze was discovered in the second story of the mammoth clothing store of C. M. Vanstory & Co., which was one of the largest in the state.

The firemen responded, but the fire had gained such headway that nothing more than to save adjacent property could be done. As on the last two or three occasions of fire, the engine was out of fix, and its service was poor. It was with heroic efforts that the firemen saved the adjacent buildings and prevented the fire from spreading. As it was, adjacent stocks of goods were only slightly damaged by smoke and water, with the exception of the Sample Brown Mercantile company, who suffered heavily from the above cause.

As stated, the fire originated in the second story; how, no one knows. The rooms of the Greensboro Pressing Club were on this floor; also the stock exchange. The building, which belonged to Mr. R. L. Vernon, is almost a total wreck. Nothing is left except the front wall, and it is not certain this wall would do to lie in rebuilding. Mr. Vernon allowed part of his insurance to lapse a short time ago and had only \$1,000 on the building. When asked what his loss would be, he said he could not yet tell, but that he would much prefer to have the building back than to have the four thousand, meaning that the loss was much greater than the insurance.

C. M. Vanstory & Co. are the heaviest losers. A few thousand dollars worth of clothing was dragged out of the burning building, but the great bulk of the big stock is a total loss. Many new goods just arrived and not unpacked, were burned. Mr. Vanstory was seen this morning by a Telegram man and he says the stock was only about half covered by insurance. At that time he did not have the exact figures, but said the firm had insurance to the amount of \$38,000 or \$40,000. This would place an estimate of \$75,000 to \$80,000 on the stock of goods. Granting these figures to be correct, and they are approximately so, the loss is heavy and represents more money than is piled up in a short while in any like business. With this firm it represents the earnings of years of faithful work and diligent attention to business. The firm has the sincere sympathy of the public generally.

Only a day or two ago this firm had subscribed liberally to a fund for organizing a paid fire department for Greensboro.

OTHER LOSSES.
The fire broke through in the third story of the Sample Brown Mercantile Company's store, and while the flames were quickly extinguished, much damage was done by smoke and water. Mr. Brown estimates the damage to goods at from three to four thousand dollars. In the second story is a large stock of furniture and much of that is damaged, while the front of the dress goods department down stairs was flooded with water and this morning presented a bad appearance. Their loss is fully covered by insurance.

The firm of Thacker & Brockmann, next door to Brown's, also suffered from smoke and water. Mr. Brockmann thinks, however, that the damage will fall below one thousand dollars, probably six or seven hundred.

Next to Vanstory's on the south side, is the wholesale department of J. W. Scott & Co., and by good work the fire was prevented from breaking through. Their damage is slight and no estimate has been placed upon it as yet.

The belongings of the pressing club and stock exchange are a total loss, as we understand they carried no insurance.

This is the third disastrous fire which has visited Greensboro since Christmas. The first was that of the Haguen-McCorkle Dry Goods Company and

the Original Racket, December 31st, and the plant of the Sergeant Manufacturing Company on January 1st. We sincerely trust that the old saying about three fires following each other will prove true in this case. This is the third and we trust the last. All of these fires have run away up in the thousands, aggregating something like two hundred thousand dollars.

The Greensboro companies are caught for only small amounts in yesterday morning's fire.

Roney's Boys.

The matinee at the association hall given by the Blatchford Kavanagh and Roney's Boys Concert Company yesterday afternoon was attended by a very enthusiastic audience. Many who heard them Friday came for a second treat, and others who were prevented from attending the first concert were glad of this opportunity. The college girls and school children were out in full force. An entire change of program was given except where pieces were repeated by request. The audience was thoroughly pleased and the boys are assured of crowded houses if they come to Charlotte again. The star course committee hope to secure them for next year's course.

Their next concert is at Asheville tomorrow evening—Charlotte Observer.

The above aggregation will appear at the Academy of Music Thursday night. Tickets now on sale at Parlar's drug store, general admission 50 cents; reserved seats, 75 cents.

LACKS CONFIRMATION.

Yet It is Believed that Another Move Has Begun.

By Cable to THE TELEGRAM.
London, Feb. 5.—The war office this morning said there was no confirmation of the report that Buller had crossed the Tugela.

Despite the lack of official confirmation of another advance for the relief of Ladysmith, it is confidently asserted that such a move has begun. Despatches from the front, while conflicting, unite in pointing to a movement of some sort. It is known that despatches have reached the Pall Mall, yet the war office is absolutely silent.

SAVED.
If you wear glasses that are right, ill-fitting frames with low quality lens, improperly adjusted, will ruin your eyes. Dr. Moore (112 East Market street) can be of much help to you—eyes. Don't you think it will pay you to save your eyes?

Will Open in a Day or Two.

We had a very narrow escape from the big fire of Sunday morning, but got off with a small damage by water and smoke. The store is closed awaiting the arrival of the adjusters. We hope to be able to open tomorrow, or certainly in a day or two.

Thacker & Brockmann.

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Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Stralville, O., prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had kept her awake every night. She tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at C. E. Holton's drug store.

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GOVERNOR GOEBEL IS DEAD

The Brave Fight of a Notable Man Ended

MOST AFFECTING DEATH SCENE

Interesting Story of the Last Hours of Kentucky's Murdered Governor.

His Statement to the World.
Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 3.—The bullet fired by an unknown assassin last Tuesday morning ended the life of Wm. Goebel at 6:45 o'clock this evening. The only persons present at the death bed were Mr. Goebel's sister, Mrs. Braunacker, and his brother, Arthur Goebel, of Cincinnati, who have been in constant attendance at Mr. Goebel's bedside, and Dr. McCormack, another brother who has been hurrying from Aris as fast as steam could carry him, in a vain hope of reaching his dying brother in time for some token of recognition, arrived 40 minutes too late.

Oxygen was frequently administered to the dying man during the afternoon, in an effort to keep him alive until his brother's arrival, but in vain. By the cruel irony of fate the train on which Justus Goebel was traveling to Frankfort was delayed several hours from various causes, and when Mr. Goebel finally reached here, it was only to learn that his brother was dead. Among partisans of both parties deep grief is manifested, and already a movement has been started to erect a fitting monument to Mr. Goebel's memory on the spot in the state house grounds where he was shot. No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral. Plunged in grief and in the death chamber of their brother, Arthur and Justus Goebel and Mrs. Braunacker have given out no intimations of their wishes, and probably no definite arrangements will be made until tomorrow. It is understood that a request will be made on behalf of the citizens of Frankfort that Mr. Goebel's last resting place be in the cemetery here, where he buried Daniel Boone and Vice-President Andrew Johnson.

Early today, at Mr. Goebel's request, his legal advisors with whom he wished to confer. Later, at Mr. Goebel's request, Chaplain Wallace, of the Kentucky penitentiary, an intimate friend, was sent for and the two had a short conversation.

"Law," said Mr. Goebel, "I wish to announce to the world that I do not hold myself in open violence to the word of God."

The hypodermic injections afforded some temporary relief, but the sufferer for the first time in his long weary struggle for life had apparently lost his indomitable courage.

"Doctor," said he feebly to Dr. McCormack, who stood at his bedside, "I am afraid now that I'm not going to get over this."

Dr. McCormack endeavored to cheer the fast failing man, but the latter soon relapsed into a condition of unconsciousness. About 1 o'clock he roused himself again, and calling Dr. McCormack to his bedside said: "Doctor, am I going to get well? I want to know the truth for I have several things to attend to."

"Mr. Goebel, you have but a few hours to live," replied Dr. McCormack.

Mr. Goebel was silent for a moment, then calling his brother, Arthur Goebel, to his side, he asked that the physicians and nurses retire. Then for twenty minutes the dying man was left with his brother and sister, Mrs. Braunacker.

Later this afternoon, to the weary watchers at the bedside, it was apparent that the end was not far off, and Rev. Dr. Tallafiero, of the Methodist church of Frankfort, was sent for. He came at once. Softly entering the death chamber, Dr. Tallafiero crossed over to where Mr. Goebel lay gasping for breath, and kneeling at the side of the bed prayed earnestly. With tears streaming down their faces Mrs. Braunacker and Arthur Goebel knelt at the bedside, also. Then Dr. Tallafiero arose and opening his Bible read a few selected verses from the Epistle of St. James. As the words of the apostle were read by the divine the dying and apparently unconscious man stirred slightly. Quickly leaning over, his brother, Arthur Goebel, said: "Will, Dr. Tallafiero is here."

No response came from the dying man, but as Arthur Goebel leaned over him, looking anxiously for some sign of recognition, a look of intelligence came into the half-closed eyes, and it was apparent that Mr. Goebel knew what was said. Shortly after this, Dr. Tallafiero left the room, and descending the stairs entered the ladies' reception room, where, at the request of several ladies, wives of legislators, he held brief services. Then the divine went again to Mr. Goebel's bedside and about five minutes afterwards took his departure. Shortly after 5 o'clock the dying man was given oxygen, and again a slight rally resulted, but it was only temporary. His respiration gradually grew more laborious and rose to 55, while his pulse dropped to 12. At 6:10 p. m., Dr. Hume left the bedside and reported to the anxious watchers in the hotel that death was a matter of but a few moments' time. The oxygen treatment was constantly in a desperate effort to keep Mr. Goebel alive until Justus Goebel's arrival, but no effort was made to arouse the unconscious man.

As Dr. Hume departed from the room, the afflicted brother and sister

turned to Dr. McCormack and requested that they be left entirely alone with their brother, who was fast sinking, and to both physicians apparently in articulo mortis. The physicians silently withdrew, closing the door softly behind them on the grief-stricken brother and sister. Silently they knelt at his bedside, their eyes fastened upon the half-open eyelids of the unconscious man. He could give no sign of further recognition and yet he was not absolutely unconscious. Scarcely breathing themselves, the brother and sister bent over the death bed, listening to the short, sharp gasps of breath, and praying that life might be spared until their brother Justus could arrive. Their prayers were in vain. Even as they watched, the pulsations became slower and slower gradually, but steadily growing weaker and with a slight quiver of the eyelids, one breath deeper than the rest, a pause, a gasp and the life that had been battling so valiantly against the assassin's bullet since last Tuesday morning, flickered out.

Death had claimed its victim and the brother and sister, bowed by sorrow, whose pangs were intensified by the knowledge that a few miles away burying to them was their brother Justus, who would arrive too late, sat down upon the death bed alone with their dead brother. Not a sign emanated from the room to apprise the anxious watchers in the hotel corridors without that Mr. Goebel had passed away. The stricken brother and sister were left undisturbed while the two physicians outside the door looked at their watches as the minutes flew by, fearing the truth, yet wondering at the long silence. Finally, at 7 p. m., the train bearing Justus Goebel came in. At the station to meet him were Urey Woodson, Samuel Shackelford, clerk of the court of appeals, and Mayor Rhinock, of Covington. They met Mr. Goebel at the car steps.

"Is he dead?" "Tell me, is he dead?" were the first words he uttered.

"He is not dead," was the assurance given by the friend who had been looking of the truth.

The party entered a carriage and five minutes later, at 7:25 o'clock, arrived at the hotel. With tears streaming, Mr. Goebel was conducted to the chamber where lay his brother. A rap at the door was answered by Arthur Goebel, who silently drew his brother in. Five minutes later Arthur Goebel again opened the door and motioned to the two physicians.

"He died at 6:45 painlessly," was all he said and then closed the door.

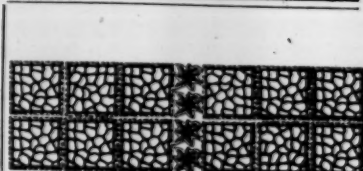
There was no excitement in the corridor. Those who heard the words of Arthur Goebel were reverently silent and did not disseminate the intelligence. Within a few moments the following announcement had been prepared and was silently handed about the hotel and streets:

"To the people of Kentucky: It is with the profoundest sorrow that we announce the death of Governor Wm. Goebel. In his last moments he counseled his friends to keep cool and bow to the law in all things. We, his friends, beg of the people of Kentucky in this hour of affliction to carefully abstain from any act of violence, or any resort to mob law. It would be his wish, were he alive, there should be absolutely no stain on his memory by any imprudent act of any who were his friends. The law is supreme and must in time be re-established, and all the wrongs he and his party have suffered, will find their proper redress.

J. C. S. Blackburn, Urey Woodson, J. B. McCreary, James Andrew Scott, B. W. Bradburn, C. C. McChord, L. H. Cart, speaker pro tem of the senate; Wm. S. Pryor, C. M. Lewis, John K. Hendrix, Lewis McQueen, S. J. Shackelford, South Trimble, speaker of the house.

This was the first intelligence given to the public of the death of Mr. Goebel, which had occurred 45 minutes previous.

Don't Miss This.
The wonderful entertainments for which "The Herrmanns," the famous family of magicians are noted, never fail to amuse and entertain audiences of this city. When it is announced that the last and only Herrmann now before the public, Leon Herrmann, "The Great" appears at the academy of music next Tuesday evening, Feb. 6th, the patrons of the academy may feel assured they will witness an entertainment in every way up to the highest standards of magic and mystery. Leon Herrmann is in many respects the most remarkable of that famous family. His father, Karl Herrmann, took him when 5 years of age to train, and kept him until he was twenty, travelling the world over. At that age, according to the laws of France, he entered the army. He left the army at the age of 24, having attained the rank of sergeant and also the cross of the Legion of Honor, awarded for saving the life of a French official in China. After this he began to perform in Paris where he had a long and extended run for months and speedily became the idol of the Parisian public. From this his fame was assured. He performed in all Europe, Asia and Egypt. Everywhere his work was known for its originality. He performed before the czar of Russia and the Sultan of Turkey. He has founded the latter by several sensational feats of legdeman and received from him as a token a magnificent gold watch, suitably engraved in memory of the occasion. Leon Herrmann came to America four years ago, and is now on his fourth annual tour of this country. His program the present season is said to abound in novelties never before seen here and to surpass all previous efforts in that line.



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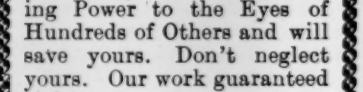
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